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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 December 17, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated June 17, 2004, for 4 months from August 17, 2004, to December 17, 2004.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of One-Thousand Five-Hundred Ninety Dollars (\$1,590.00) to cover the cost of the extension fee. In the event that this check is found to be insufficient, or if any additional fees are due with respect to the filing of this paper, please charge Counsel's Deposit Account Number 50-2222. Aes. No. > 44, 262

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